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Description: ff. iii + i + 91 + iii - Twentieth century. De luxe tan leather over cardboard boards, spine with five raised binds; the covers are blind-tooled and spine and covers are decorated with small flowers painted red and green. Brown paper endleaves. Gilt edges. - Gift of Frank H. Goodyear, Yale 1941, in memory of Josephine L. Goodyear, March 1974. Notes:-Manuscript on parchment of an illuminated Book of Hours of the use of Rouen. Made for a female owner (see f. 42r: "orata sum").

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Language: Latin; French Country: France Century: 15th

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Part 1:

Description: - parchment - 170 x 120 mm.

Country: France Cardinal point:

Region: Northwestern France (Rouen?) City:

Assigned Date: [between 1400 and 1500]. Searchable Date Range: 1400 - 1500

Dated by scribe: NoInscribed Date:Document: NoNumber of Scribes:

Script: Written in uneven Northern Gothica Textualis Formata by one hand lacking expertise and making a maximum of fusions. To be noted double f in initial position and the spelling "Betheleem" and other defective spellings.

Notes: Headings in red. Heightening of the majuscules in yellow. The entire decoration uses liquid gold. Line-fillers in gold on red, blue or brown background. 1-line initials on square background in the text. 2-line "twisted branch" initials on square background, infilled with flowers. 3- or 4-line initials of the same type, accompanied by three-margins left borders on ff. 13r, 28r, 40v, 42r, 44r, 46r, 47r, 86r, 89v. 3-line initials of the same type, accompanied by four-margins borders and a picture in an arched compartment above three lines of text, on ff. 21r, 37r, 63v, 66r. Similar pictures were painted on the lost leaves before f. 50 and 62. Binding: Twentieth century. De luxe tan leather over cardboard boards, spine with five raised binds; the covers are blind-tooled and spine and covers are decorated with small flowers painted red and green. Brown paper endleaves. Gilt edges.

Number of Texts: 1

Text 1:

Title: Hours, use of Rouen.

Subjects: Catholic Church. Book of hours.; Books of hours.; Illumination of books and manuscripts, Medieval.;

Manuscripts, Medieval--Connecticut--New Haven.;

Language(s): Latin; French

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